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## MICHIGAN TASK FORCE ON PHYSICIAN'S ASSISTANTS DISCIPLINARY SUBCOMMITTEE

## OCTOBER 31, 2017 MEETING

### **APPROVED MINUTES**

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, 1976 PA 267, as amended, the Michigan Task Force on Physician's Assistants Disciplinary Subcommittee met in regular session on October 31, 2017 at the Ottawa Building, 611 West Ottawa Street, Upper Level Conference Center, Conference Room 4, Lansing, Michigan.

#### CALL TO ORDER

Sara Basso, Chairperson, called the meeting to order at 9:06 a.m.

### **ROLL CALL**

**Members Present:** Sara Basso, Public Member, Chairperson

Lara Davis, PA-C

Pam Gnodtke, Public Member

William Palazzolo, PA-C

CaShawnda Range, PA-C (arrived at 9:13 a.m.)

Members Absent: None

**Staff Present:** Nakisha Bayes, Board Support, Board and Committees

Laury Brown, Analyst, Compliance Section

## APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION by Palazzolo, seconded by Gnodtke, to approve the agenda as presented.

A voice vote followed.

MOTION PREVAILED

## **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

MOTION by Gnodtke, seconded by Palazzolo, to approve the minutes of the July 25, 2017 meeting as written.

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A voice vote followed.

### MOTION PREVAILED

## **REGULATORY CONSIDERATIONS**

## Kelly Lynne Beelman, PA – Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Palazzolo, seconded by Davis, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote was taken. Yeas: Davis, Gnodtke, Palazzolo, Range, Basso

Nays: None

#### MOTION PREVAILED

## Michael David Voiles, PA - Consent Order and Stipulation

MOTION by Palazzolo, seconded by Gnodtke, to accept the Consent Order and Stipulation.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote was taken. Yeas: Davis, Gnodtke, Palazzolo, Range, Basso

Nays: None

### MOTION PREVAILED

## Michael Thomas Piper, PA - Administrative Complaint

MOTION by Davis, seconded by Range, to discuss.

A voice vote followed.

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Range, seconded by Davis, Respondent is to be reprimanded and pay a \$500.00 fine within 60 days.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote was taken. Yeas: Davis, Range

Nays: Gnodtke, Palazzolo, Basso

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#### MOTION FAILED

MOTION by Gnodtke, seconded by Basso, to place Respondent on probation for 6 months. During the probationary period, Respondent is to complete 5 hours of Board-approved continuing education in the area of ethics. This continuing education shall not apply in computing Respondent's current continuing education requirements for license renewal. In addition, Respondent is fined \$500.00 which is to be paid within 6 months. If Respondent fails to comply with the terms of the Order, the license shall be suspended for a minimum of 1 day. If Respondent complies within 6 months, the license shall be automatically reinstated. If the license remains suspended more than 6 months, Respondent must apply for reinstatement.

Discussion was held.

A roll call vote was taken. Yeas: Gnodtke, Basso

Nays: Davis, Palazzolo, Range

MOTION FAILED

MOTION by Palazzolo, seconded by Basso, to discuss.

A voice vote followed.

MOTION PREVAILED

Discussion was held.

MOTION by Range, seconded by Gnodtke, Respondent is to be reprimanded and pay a fine of \$1,000.00 within 90 days. If Respondent fails to comply with the terms of the Order, the license shall be suspended for a minimum of 1 day. If, within 6 months of the suspension, Respondent complies, the license shall be automatically reinstated. If the license remains suspended more than 6 months, Respondent must apply for reinstatement.

A roll call vote was taken. Yeas: Davis, Gnodtke, Palazzolo, Range, Basso

Nays: None

MOTION PREVAILED

## **PUBLIC COMMENT**

None

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on January 23, 2018 to begin immediately following the Task Force on Physician's Assistants' full board meeting, which

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begins at 9:00 a.m. at the Ottawa Building, 611 West Ottawa Street, Conference Room 4, Upper Level Conference Center, Lansing, Michigan.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

MOTION by Palazzolo, seconded by Gnodtke, to adjourn the meeting at 10:34 a.m.

A voice vote followed.

MOTION PREVAILED

Minutes approved by the Board on January 23, 2018.

Prepared by: Nakisha Bayes, Board Support Bureau of Professional Licensing

November 1, 2017